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In column 4, claim 1, line 2, delete "nonmagnetic".

In column 4, claim 2, line 2, delete "nonmag-".

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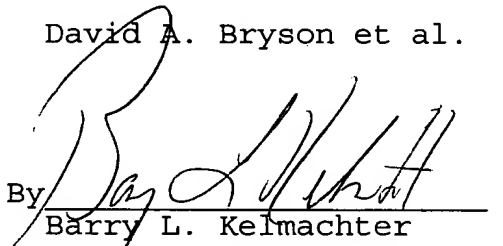
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Respectfully submitted,

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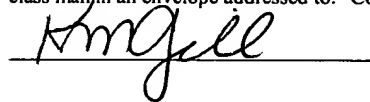
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